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## **UNITED STATES ATTORNEY REPORTS WEEKLY RESULTS OF ST. LOUIS REGIONAL CEASEFIRE INITIATIVE**

St. Louis, Missouri: The following represents the prosecution activities under the St. Louis Regional Ceasefire Initiative, a component of the Bush Administration's Project Safe Neighborhoods Program, United States Attorney Catherine L. Hanaway announced today.

These cases are the result of the collaborative efforts of federal and local law enforcement including the U.S. Attorney's Office, the St. Louis City Circuit Attorney's Office, the St. Louis County Prosecutor's Office, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), the U.S. Marshal's Service, the Drug Enforcement Administration, the St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department and the St. Louis County Police Department.

This week's results of Project Safe Neighborhood/Ceasefire are as follows:

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ANTHONY PRUITT, 25, Jennings, MO, was sentenced to 30 months in prison on one felony count of receiving a firearm while under indictment and one felony count of intimidating a witness.

JOSEPH TAYLOR, JR., 22, St. Louis, was sentenced to 77 months in prison on one felony count of being a previously convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

RONSONIE SHARRON SCOTT, 30, St. Louis, was sentenced to 60 months in prison on one felony count of being a previously convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

DUSTIN J. MORTER, 34, Manchester, MO, was sentenced to 37 months prison on one felony count of being a previously convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

WILLIE BROADUX, 56, St. Louis, MO, 63139, was sentenced to 66 months prison on one felony count of possession with intent to distribute crack cocaine and one felony count of being a previously convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

ANTONIO LAJUAN SMALL, 35, St. Louis, MO, 63121, was sentenced to 46 months prison on one felony count of being a previously convicted felon in possession of a firearm.

